



BELMONT FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

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Fire and Life-Safety Inspection Checklist

Fire Extinguishers

- One 2-A: 10-B:C fire extinguisher per 75 feet of travel and per floor.
- Extinguisher mounted to be visible and no higher than 4 feet above ground.
- Extinguishers serviced annually (last service date is shown on State Fire Marshal's Tag).
- One Type K extinguisher required in kitchen (Restaurants only).
- Hood and Duct extinguishing system shall be serviced every six months (Restaurants only).
- Fire Alarms require annual certification.

Sprinklers

- 18-inch clearance required below sprinkler heads.
- No decoration or attachments are allowed on sprinkler piping/heads.
- Defective heads (bent, painted) shall be replaced.
- Sprinkler System requires five year certification.

Exiting- Doors, Signs & Aisles

- Fire doors are maintained, self-closing and latching.
- Exit doors, aisles, corridors and stairs are free of obstruction and storage.
- Exit signs are illuminated and battery backup functions properly.
- Emergency lights operate.

Electrical Safety

- Approved fusible strips that are UL Listed.
- Approved fusible strips are plugged directly into permanent outlets.
- Extension cords are used only with portable appliances.
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- Extension cords and fusible strips are not affixed to structures, run through walls, ceilings, floors or doorways or under rugs.
- 30-inch clearance in front of all electrical panels.
- Panels and electrical boxes are covered (no exposed wiring).

Housekeeping

- Storage is orderly.
- Combustible wastes are removed daily.

Other

- Install address numbers that are clearly visible from the street.
- Maintain adequate clearance around fire hydrant(s) and fire department sprinkler connections.